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Hirofumi Ito et al.

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For: CATALYST, PROCESS FOR PREPARING

THE CATALYST AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING LOWER HYDROCARBON

USING THE CATALYST

Examiner: Elizabeth D. Wood

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2011, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.